

Leyendecker  
Lucas  
McKinney  
Palmer  
Pope

Absent—Excused

Blankenship  
Carssow  
Hanna  
Harris of Dallas  
Hyder  
Leonard  
Loggins

Reader  
Rutta  
Sharpe  
Stevenson

Metcalf  
Newton  
Ross  
Schuenemann  
Stinson  
Waggoner  
Westbrook

ADJOURNMENT

Mr. Moffett moved that the House recess to 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Mr. Reed of Bowie moved that the House adjourn until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

Question first recurring on the motion by Mr. Reed of Bowie, it prevailed, and the House, accordingly, at 12:00 o'clock m., adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a. m., tomorrow.

APPENDIX

STANDING COMMITTEE  
REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills as follows:

Counties: Senate Bill No. 101.

Education: House Bills Nos. 55, 56 and 162.

Game and Fisheries: House Bills Nos. 245, 246, 268 and 276.

Highways and Motor Traffic: House Bill No. 280.

Judiciary: Senate Bill No. 44.

State Affairs: House Bill No. 158 and House Simple Resolution No. 16.

The Committee on Contingent Expenses filed an adverse report on resolution providing for increase in salary of certain employees.

ELEVENTH DAY

(Friday, January 29, 1937)

The House met at 10:00 o'clock a. m., pursuant to adjournment, and was called to order by Speaker Calvert.

The roll of the House was called, and the following Members were present:

Mr. Speaker	Johnson
Adkins	of Tarrant
Alexander	Jones of Angelina
Alsup	Jones of Atascosa
Amos	Jones of Falls
Baker	Jones of Wise
Bates	Keith
Beckworth	Kelt
Bell	Kenyon
Boethel	Kern
Bond	King
Boyer	Knetsch
Bradbury	Lankford
Bridgers	Lanning
Broadfoot	Leath
Brown	Leonard
Burton	Leyendecker
Cagle	Loggins
Callan	London
Cathey	Lucas
Cleveland	Mann
Colquitt	Mauritz
Davis of Haskell	Mays
Davis of Jasper	McConnell
Davisson	McCracken
of Eastland	McDonald
Dean	McFarland
Deglandon	McKee
Derden	McKinney
Dickison	Moffett
England	Monkhouse
Farmer	Morris
Felty	Morse
Fielden	Newton
Fox	Nicholson
Fuchs	Oliver
Gibson	Palmer
Graves	Patterson of Mills
Hamilton	Patterson
Hankamer	of Travis
Hanna	Petsch
Harbin	Powell
Hardin	Prescott
Harper	Quinn
Harrell	Ragsdale
Harris of Archer	Reader
Harris of Dallas	Reed of Bowie
Harris of Dickens	Reed of Dallas
Hartzog	Rhodes
Heflin	Riddle
Herzik	Roark
Holland	Russell
Hoskins	Rutta
Howard	Settle
Huddleston	Sewell
Hull	Sharpe
Hyder	Shell
Jackson	Simpson
James	Skaggs
Johnson of Ellis	Smith of Hopkins

Smith	Thornberry
of Matagorda	Thornton
Stevenson	Vale
Stinson	Waggoner
Stocks	Walker
Talbert	Weldon
Tarwater	Winfree
Tennant	Wood
Tennyson	Worley

## Absent

Bradford	Pope
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## Absent—Excused

Blankenship	Little
Carssow	Metcalfe
Celaya	Ross
Davison of Fisher	Schuenemann
Dollins	Smith of Tarrant
Keefe	Westbrook
Langdon	

A quorum was announced present.

Rev. George W. Coltrin, Chaplain, offered prayer.

## LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of important business:

Mr. Celaya for today, on motion of Mr. Jones of Falls.

Mr. Langdon for today, on motion of Mr. Roark.

Mr. Smith of Tarrant for today, on motion of Mr. Farmer.

Mr. Bates for today, on motion of Mr. Harper.

Mr. Davison of Fisher for today, on motion of Mr. Howard.

Mr. Davisson of Eastland for today, on motion of Mr. Prescott.

The following Members were granted leaves of absence on account of illness:

Mr. Dollins for today, on motion of Mr. Jones of Falls.

Mr. Carssow for today, on motion of Mr. Broadfoot.

Mr. Metcalfe for today, on motion of Mr. Morris.

Mr. Keefe for today, on motion of Mr. Thornberry.

Mr. Blankenship for today, on motion of Mr. Mann.

Mr. Schuenemann for today, on motion of Mr. Shell.

Mr. Ross for today, on motion of Mr. McConnell.

Mr. Westbrook for today, on motion of Mr. Oliver.

Mr. Little for today, on motion of Mr. Morse.

## HOUSE BILLS ON FIRST READING

The following House bills introduced today, were laid before the House, read severally first time, and referred to the appropriate committees, as follows:

By Mr. Davison of Fisher, Mr. Howard, Mr. Morse, Mr. Mann, Mr. Thornton, Mr. Heflin, Mr. Winfree, Mr. Jones of Falls, Mr. Dollins, Mr. King, Mr. Harris of Dallas, Mr. Hanna, Mr. Smith of Tarrant, Mr. Fox, Mr. Moffett, Mr. Jones of Wise, Mr. Thornberry, Mr. Alexander, Mr. McKinney, Mr. Reed of Dallas and Mr. Roark:

H. B. No. 351, A bill to be entitled "An Act empowering the Courts of the State of Texas having original jurisdiction of criminal actions to suspend the imposition or execution of sentence and to place defendants on probation under certain conditions; specifying conditions of probation which, among others, may be imposed; providing for investigation, by probation officers, of the defendants seeking to come within the provisions of this Act; prescribing the period of probation and any extension thereof; providing for the discharge of defendants who have observed the conditions of probation imposed by the courts and the legal effect of such discharge; providing for the arrest, with or without warrant, of defendants on probation, and for the reimposition of sentence without jury trial in the event the conditions of probation have been violated; providing that the court may require bond of the defendant before releasing him on probation, and fixing the conditions of said bond; providing for the appointment of probation officers and the method thereof, and making provision for their compensation and for their necessary expenses, and making an appropriation therefor and for the bonding of such probation officers as shall handle moneys; authorizing the removal or suspension of probation officers under certain conditions; requiring the services of such probation officers to be available, under certain conditions, to judges of other courts, and to Parole Boards in the

State of Texas for supervision of paroled convicts; prescribing the duties of such probation officers and the powers of such officers; providing that information obtained by said officers shall be privileged; providing for the transfer of probationers from one district to another under certain conditions; directing the commissioners courts to provide office space for said probation officers; designating 'chief' and 'assistant' probation officers; retaining the effectiveness of the present suspended sentence law as to all defendants now under such sentence; repealing all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith; providing that if any part of this Act is declared unconstitutional it shall not affect the validity of the remainder of the Act, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Criminal Jurisprudence.

By Mr. Tennant, Mr. Gibson, Mr. Amos, Mr. Harris of Dallas and Mr. Beckworth:

H. B. No. 352, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide for the inspection of steam boilers; defining certain terms; requiring a permit to operate; exempting certain boilers from the provisions of the Act; providing for appointment of a Boiler Inspector and Deputies; providing for promulgation of rules and regulations by the Commissioner of Labor covering the inspection and operation of steam boilers; providing for certain hearings; providing for collection of fees for boiler inspection; providing for publications of rules and regulations; providing for penalties for failure to comply with the provisions of this Act and rules enacted pursuant thereto; for injunction after notice against violators; providing for clerical assistants and supplies; fixing salaries and creating a 'Special Boiler Inspection Fund'; making an appropriation out of the General Revenue Fund; providing a saving clause, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Labor.

By Mr. Ragsdale, Mr. Fuchs, Mr. Alsup, Mr. Brown, Mr. Leath and Mr. Nicholson:

H. B. No. 353, A bill to be entitled "An Act making certain emergency appropriations out of the General

Revenue Fund of the State of Texas for the Live Stock Sanitary Commission for the balance of the fiscal year ending August 31, 1937, to cover the purchase of dip materials, marking paint salaries of inspectors, salaries of county supervisors, salaries of district supervisors, and traveling expenses, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Appropriations.

By Mr. Patterson of Mills, Mr. Davison of Fisher, Mr. Davison of Eastland and Mr. McFarland:

H. B. No. 354, A bill to be entitled "An Act repealing Article 7319 of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925; repealing Acts of 1927, Fortieth Legislature, page 25, Chapter 20, Section 1, as amended by Acts of 1927, Fortieth Legislature, First Called Session, page 195, Chapter 69, Section 1, Acts of 1927, Fortieth Legislature, First Called Session, page 195, Chapter 70, Section 1, and Acts of 1933, Forty-third Legislature, First Called Session, page 271, Chapter 98; amending Article 7320, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, Chapter 10, providing a lien for taxes which have become delinquent since December 31, 1919, and forever barring taxes returned delinquent prior to that date; providing for certificates showing status of tax payments on property; amending Article 7323, Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, Chapter 10; amending Article 7324, Revised Civil Statutes, 1925, as amended by Acts of 1931, Forty-second Legislature, page 196, Chapter 117, Section 1, providing for the preparation and mailing of delinquent tax notices showing the amount of delinquent taxes, penalty, interest and costs due; adding a new Article numbered 7324A, requiring a person employed by the Commissioners' Court or the assessor and collector of taxes to file a statement of all property on which delinquent taxes are due, providing that Commissioners' Court shall direct Sheriff to sell such property, and providing for extension of time before sale in certain cases; adding a new Article numbered 7324B, prescribing the form of such statements, authorizing lien holders to file notice of lien; adding a new Article numbered 7324C, providing for the issuance by the Sheriff of any county of final notice and citation to delinquent tax payers adding a new Article numbered 7324D, providing

for the sale of property on which taxes are delinquent, the execution of a tax deed and making same prima facie evidence of the power to sell; requiring tax rolls be prepared and approved by certain time; authorizing tax payers to borrow money to pay taxes, the transfer of tax liens therefor, and making such liens eligible for investment; amending Article 7329, revised Civil Statutes, 1925, Chapter 10; adding a new Article numbered 7329-A, providing for the institution of suit by the owner of any property sold for taxes under the provisions of this Act; amending Article 7283 as amended by Acts of 1933, Forty-third Legislature, First Called Session, page 91, Chapter 31, Section 1; providing for the employment of a competent person to collect delinquent taxes due the county, State, and subdivisions; fixing his bond and compensation, providing for the cancellation of his contract, providing for proceedings for escheats, providing for the payment of money collected under the terms of this Act, providing for the adjustment of property valuation in certain cases; providing that the provisions of this Act shall be available to cities, towns, and other taxing subdivisions; providing for the installation of a 'plat and ownership record'; providing for the removal of tax collectors from office upon wilful failure to carry out the provisions of this Act; containing a saving clause, making this Act cumulative and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Petsch, Mr. Stevenson, Mr. Graves and Mr. Jones of Wise:

H. B. No. 355, A bill to be entitled "An Act to repeal the right of sale under deeds of trust or by means of any form of procedure providing for the sale of any property other than by means of a foreclosure judgment in a court of competent jurisdiction, and making void all such sales by virtue of contracts after the effective date of this Act."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Petsch:

H. B. No. 356, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend Article 4202 of Chapter 8 of Title 69, of the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, of the State of

Texas regulating the sales of real estate by guardians."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Farmer, Mr. Amos and Mr. Johnson of Tarrant:

H. B. No. 357, A bill to be entitled "An Act creating an additional title to the Revised Civil Statutes of 1925, naming and numbering the title, and conferring upon the qualified voters of any Home Rule City or any city having over five thousand inhabitants as shown by the last Federal Census the right to propose and adopt at the polls measures concerning its municipal affairs; prescribing the enacting clause of such measures and the methods and manner of the exercise of such right; and certain duties of the City Secretary and governing body of such city and the manner and time of the performance of these duties; and providing for removal of such officers failing to perform their duties herein; and providing means of enforcement thereof; and prescribing the scope, with certain limitations, of such right; the manner of construction of the provisions of this Act, and providing all conflicting provisions of laws and city charters shall yield to this Act; and providing a saving clause, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Municipal and Private Corporations.

By Mr. Shell and Mr. Pope:

H. B. No. 358, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing that it shall be unlawful to take any fish for sale from the waters of Lake Corpus Christi or from the waters of the Nueces River between La Fruta dam on the Nueces River and the highway bridge over the Nueces River near George West; providing a closed season for fishing in said waters; prohibiting the use of certain devices for taking fish in said waters; providing a suitable penalty for any violation of this Act; repealing all laws in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Quinn:

H. B. No. 359, A bill to be entitled "An Act giving to W. N. Smith, for himself, and as next friend of Carl Smith, minor, of Chambers County, Texas, consent of the Legislature to file and prosecute a suit against the

State of Texas and/or the State Highway Commission in a court of competent jurisdiction in order to determine what compensation, if any, he, the said W. N. Smith, as father of said Carl Smith, are entitled to receive by reason of injury sustained by said Carl Smith, minor, while an employee of the State Highway Commission, and providing that the State and/or said Commission may appeal from said judgment as provided by law without executing any bond, and upon final judgment being recovered against the State and/or State Highway Commission, the same shall be paid out of the State Highway funds, and providing that service in said cause shall be had by citing the Chairman of the Highway Commission, and Attorney General, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

By Mr. Quinn:

H. B. No. 360, A bill to be entitled "An Act giving to Mrs. James Steel, a feme sole, consent of the Legislature to file and prosecute a suit against the State of Texas and/or the State Highway Commission in a court of competent jurisdiction, in order to determine what compensation, if any, she, the said Mrs. James Steel, is entitled to receive by reason of damage done to her sixty (60) acre farm by the Highway Department of the State of Texas in digging a certain large ditch or canal across same without first securing an easement therefor, or digging same in a place and in a manner contrary to that provided for in condemnation proceedings, and providing that the State of Texas and/or said Highway Commission may appeal from said judgment as provided by law without executing any bond, and upon final judgment being recovered against the State and/or Highway Commission, the same shall be paid out of the State Highway funds, and providing that service in said cause shall be had by citing the Chairman of the Highway Commission and the Attorney General, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

By Mr. Cagle and Mr. Huddleston:

H. B. No. 361, A bill to be entitled "An Act requiring a Resident Hunting License and creating a free service Game and Fish Commission in each

county in Texas with a population of five thousand (5,000) or more; providing for certain exemptions and providing for the manner in which license shall be collected; and providing for the manner in which funds shall be spent; providing for the bonds of the County Commissioners, and the manner of creating said Commission, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Game and Fisheries.

By Mr. Hardin:

H. B. No. 362, A bill to be entitled "An Act to levy an income tax upon natural persons and corporations for the purpose of reducing the State ad valorem tax and the ad valorem tax of the several counties upon property; defining certain terms; providing that first tax shall be assessed in 1937 on net income for 1936; specifying under what condition estates, trusts and fiduciaries are taxable, and method of taxing same; exempting certain non-profit organizations; providing that the tax herein levied shall be a personal debt of the person assessed to the State of Texas; authorizing the tax commission to require certain records to be kept; providing for accounting periods according to fiscal or calendar year, and the method of changing such periods; defining net income; defining gross income and specifying deductions allowed from gross income; prescribing what deductions shall be allowed to non-residents; specifying items not deductible from gross income; prescribing a method of determining gain or loss in sale of capital assets; prescribing when exchanges of property are taxable and to what extent; prescribing method of allocating and apportioning income of persons engaged in business outside of the State; providing certain exemptions; providing credits to non-resident taxpayers for certain taxes paid in State of residence; providing certain credits for other taxes; specifying who shall file returns, the content, manner, time and place of filing same, etc.; prescribing content, manner, time and place of filing returns of fiduciaries; allowing consolidated returns in certain cases; providing for informational returns and prescribing the content, manner, time and place of filing such returns; setting out method of filing returns when accounting period is changed;

providing that members of a partnership are taxable only in individual capacities; prescribing time, place and manner of payment of tax; authorizing the tax commission to require supplementary returns in certain cases; prescribing method of examination of returns, recomputation of tax, assessment of recomputed tax, protest of such additional assessment; prescribing regulations for hearings by the tax commission; placing a three year limit on assessment of income taxes in general, but providing that no limitation shall apply to false or fraudulent returns or failure to file a return; providing for the refund of over-payment, and putting a limitation thereon providing for revision and readjustment of any assessment by the tax commission upon application for hearing within one year by the taxpayer providing for review of determinations of the Tax Commission by the proper courts of Travis County, Texas; requiring certain procedure precedent to appeal; providing that the District Court of Travis County, Texas, shall have exclusive original jurisdiction of income tax appeals from the Tax Commission; providing that collection of income tax shall not be stayed, except as otherwise provided in this Act; prescribing certain penalties, additional taxes and interest for violation of the provisions of this Act, and the manner of collecting same; providing for collection of income taxes by warrant and levy; prescribing further action for recovery of taxes; prescribing the method of administration of this Act, and the duties and powers of the tax commission incident thereto; requiring secrecy of returns, and prescribing cases in which returns may be brought into court or otherwise disclosed; providing penalties for violation of secrecy provision by any official or employee of the tax commission; disposing the tax to the general revenue, available school, confederate pension funds and to the general fund of the several counties; declaring contracts to assume income taxes illegal; declaring that any unconstitutional part of this Act shall not effect the remainder; placing venue for all actions under this Act in Travis County, Texas; making an appropriation for the purpose of placing this Act in immediate effect, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Revenue and Taxation.

By Mr. Harbin:

H. B. No. 363, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 6, Chapter 13, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Third Called Session, creating a special fund in the State Treasury to be known as the 'County Lateral Road Fund'; providing that the revenue from the gasoline tax shall be allocated one-fourth to the Available School Fund, one-fourth to the County and Road District Highway Fund, one-fourth to the State Highway Fund and the remainder to the County Lateral Road Fund created by this Act until the amount in such fund reaches \$4,180,000.00 at which time the moneys shall be allocated to the State Highway Fund, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Highways and Motor Traffic.

By Mr. Knetsch:

H. B. No. 364, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Section 9, of Article 1995, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, providing for suits to be brought in certain counties based upon crime, offenses and trespasses negligently committed."

Referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

By Mr. Davis of Haskell and Mr. Jones of Falls:

H. B. No. 365, A bill to be entitled "An Act to provide that each fire and marine insurance company, fire, lightning, hail, and storm insurance company, fire and storm insurance company, hail insurance company, tornado insurance company, or other insurance company insuring against the loss of personal or real property, which is subject to taxation, be required to pay taxes, penalties and interest on properties destroyed while insurance is in effect thereon before the sum due under the policy is paid to the beneficiary; providing that the beneficiary shall submit to such company a statement from the Tax Assessor-Collector showing the amount of taxes due all such property so destroyed and the number of years for which said taxes are due which statement shall be sworn to by the beneficiary before some officer authorized to take oath in this State; repealing all laws and

parts of laws in conflict herewith, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on Insurance.

By Mr. Oliver:

H. B. No. 366, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting to the dependents at law, the heirs and legal representatives of Milton Matkins, deceased, permission to bring suit against the State of Texas and/or the State Highway Department, and/or Angelina County, Texas, in the District Court of Shelby County, Texas, for damages sustained by reason of the death of Milton Matkins, for damages for the conscious suffering which he sustained after the injury but before his death, and for damages by way of medical services and funeral bills incurred, all on account of the negligence of the employees of the State Highway Department and/or Angelina County, Texas; providing for place of venue; providing that such suit may be filed within two years after this Act takes effect; providing for the method of serving process and for procedure governing the trial and determination of such suit; recognizing the liability of the State of Texas and making appropriation for the payment of such judgment, if, as and when finally obtained; providing for the method of compromising and settling such claims, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

By Mr. Oliver:

H. B. No. 367, A bill to be entitled "An Act granting to Mrs. Mary Esther Ramsey, and the legal representatives of the estate of Virgie Ramsey, deceased, permission to bring suit against the State of Texas, and/or the State Highway Department, and/or Angelina County, Texas, in the District Court of Shelby County, Texas, for damages sustained by reason of the death of Virgie Ramsey, deceased, and for damages sustained to her automobile, and for damages sustained by reason of funeral expenses incurred, on account of the negligence of employees of the State Highway Department and/or Angelina County, Texas; providing for place of venue; providing that such suit may be filed within two years after this Act takes effect; providing for the method of serving process and for procedure governing the trial and determination

of such suit; recognizing the liability of the State of Texas and making appropriation for the payment of such judgment, if, as and when finally obtained; providing for the method of compromising and settling such claims, and declaring an emergency."

Referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

#### ADDITIONAL SIGNERS OF BILLS

By unanimous consent of the House, the following Members were authorized to sign bills as co-authors of same, as follows:

Mr. Reader, House Bills Nos. 140, 284, 285 and 286.

Mr. Leath, House Bill No. 352.

Mr. Hardin, Mr. Mann and Mr. King, House Bill No. 363.

Mr. Derden, House Bill No. 148.

Mr. Bond, Mr. Rhodes and Mr. McDonald, House Bill No. 363.

Mr. Morris, House Bill No. 58.

Mr. Cleveland, House Bill No. 158.

#### RELATIVE TO HOUSE BILL NO. 148

By unanimous consent of the House, Mr. Fielden was authorized to withdraw his name from House Bill No. 148, as co-author of same.

#### COMMITTEE APPOINTED IN REGARD TO RIGHTS OF RED RIVER

The Speaker announced the appointment of the following committee on the part of the House to meet with Members of the Oklahoma Legislature for the purpose of formulating and entering into a compact between Texas and Oklahoma in regard to Texas and Oklahoma boundary: Mr. Broadfoot, Mr. Boyer and Mr. Smith of Tarrant.

#### EXCUSING EMPLOYEES OF THE HOUSE

Mr. Hardin offered the following resolution:

Whereas, The Members of the House of Representatives are to be guests in Houston this week end; and

Whereas, The stenographers and proof-readers have been working eight hours a day since this Session of the Legislature began; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, That the stenographers and proof-readers in the House of

Representatives be granted a holiday, Saturday, January 30, A. D., 1937.

The resolution was read second time.

Mr. Harrell offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend the resolution to include "all employees."

The amendment was adopted.

Question recurring on the resolution, it was adopted.

#### RELATIVE TO RATIFICATION OF THE ARGENTINE SANITARY CONVENTION

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, the following resolution:

S. C. R. No. 16, Opposing the ratification by the United States Senate of the Argentine Sanitary Convention, or any measure which proposes to change the present regulations governing importations of live animals and fresh meats from any country which harbors foot and mouth diseases.

Be it resolved by the Legislature of the State of Texas:

Whereas, The present sanitary regulations prohibit importations into the United States of live animals and fresh meats from any country in which foot and mouth disease exists; and

Whereas, Such regulations were found necessary for the protection of the livestock industry after several disastrous outbreaks in the State of Texas, were found to be the result of importations from countries in which foot and mouth diseases existed; and

Whereas, Federal and State Governments have spent millions of dollars in eradicating foot and mouth disease and to prevent its spread in the United States; and

Whereas, It is necessary that present regulations be maintained in order to prevent the introduction and spread of foot and mouth disease in the United States; and

Whereas, The pending Argentine Sanitary Convention proposes to modify the present sanitary regulations so as to permit importations from certain parts of Argentina which are alleged to be free of foot and mouth disease, and

Whereas, Foot and mouth disease exists, and has existed for many years in large parts of Argentina and no

system of eradication is pursued and control methods are not such as to prevent its spread; and

Whereas, Importations of live animals or fresh meats from any part of Argentina would endanger the livestock industry of the United States; therefore, be it

Resolved, By the Senate of the State of Texas, the House of Representatives concurring, That these bodies vigorously oppose the ratification by the United States Senate of the Argentine Sanitary Convention, or any measure which proposes to change the present regulations covering importations of live animals and fresh meats from any country which harbors foot and mouth disease; and, be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be forwarded by the Governor, to the President of the United States, the Secretary of State at Washington, D. C., the Presiding Officer of the United States Senate, and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, The Secretary of Agriculture of the United States, and the Chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee of the United States Senate.

The resolution was read second time, and was adopted.

#### BILL RE-REFERRED

On motion of Mr. Settle, House Bill No. 61 was withdrawn from the Committee on State Affairs and referred to the Committee on Public Health.

#### TO GRANT PERMISSION TO SUE THE STATE

Mr. Hardin offered the following resolution:

H. C. R. No. 15, To grant Mrs. E. L. Kitchens permission to sue the State.

Whereas, It is alleged that on or about November 19, 1936, E. L. Kitchens, while in the employment of the State Highway Department of Texas and engaged in pouring tar on State Highway No. 14, about two miles south of Richmond, Texas, in the County of Navarro, sustained fatal injuries while in the line of duty, which injuries resulted in the death of E. L. Kitchens; and

Whereas, It is alleged that as a result of the death of said E. L. Kitchens, his wife, Mrs. E. L. Kitchens, has been deprived of the marital companionship of her husband and has suffered injuries in that she now has no one to provide and care for her; and



Whereas, It is alleged that the said Mrs. E. L. Kitchens has never been compensated by the State of Texas for her damages resulting from the death of her husband, the said E. L. Kitchens; now, therefore, be it

Resolved, By the House of Representatives of Texas, the Senate concurring, That the said Mrs. E. L. Kitchens, her heirs, executors and administrators, be and they are hereby, granted permission to bring suit against the State of Texas, and against the State Highway Department of this State, in any court of competent jurisdiction in Navarro County, Texas, in order to ascertain, fix and award the amount of money, if any, the said Mrs. E. L. Kitchens, her heirs, executors and administrators are entitled to receive from the State of Texas and the Highway Department of the State of Texas, as compensation on account of the death of the said E. L. Kitchens, and that in case such suit be filed, service of citation, or other necessary process shall be had upon the Chairman of the State Highway Commission of Texas, and that the same have the same force and effect as made and provided in civil cases, and that either one of the parties to said suit shall have the right to appeal.

The resolution was read second time, and was referred, by the Speaker, to the Committee on State Affairs.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 100 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 100, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an emergency appropriation to supplement an appropriation made by the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1937, found on page 1053, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature; said appropriation is to pay the salaries and other expenses of the inspection work incident to the eradication of the Pink Bollworm, under the provisions of Chapter 3, Title 4, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, known as the Pink Bollworm law, and amendments thereto, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 100 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Leonard moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 100 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—96

Adkins	Leonard
Amos	Leyendecker
Bell	Loggins
Boethel	London
Bond	Lucas
Boyer	Mann
Bridgers	Mauritz
Brown	Mays
Callan	McConnell
Cleveland	McCracken
Colquitt	McDonald
Davis of Haskell	McFarland
Davisson	McKee
of Eastland	Moffett
Dean	Monkhouse
Deglandon	Morse
Dickison	Newton
England	Nicholson
Farmer	Oliver
Fielden	Palmer
Fox	Patterson of Mills
Fuchs	Patterson
Gibson	of Travis
Hamilton	Prescott
Hankamer	Quinn
Harbin	Reed of Dallas
Harper	Rhodes
Harrell	Riddle
Harris of Archer	Roark
Harris of Dallas	Russell
Harris of Dickens	Rutta
Heflin	Settle
Holland	Sharpe
Howard	Shell
Hull	Simnson
Hyder	Smith of Hopkins
Jackson	Smith
James	of Matagorda
Johnson of Ellis	Stinson
Johnson	Stocks
of Tarrant	Talbert
Jones of Angelina	Tarwater
Jones of Atascosa	Tennant
Jones of Falls	Thornberry
Kelt	Thornton
King	Vale
Knetsch	Walker
Lankford	Weldon
Lanning	Wood
Leath	Worley

## Nays—11

Bradbury	Jones of Wise
Cagle	Morris
Cathey	Powell
Derden	Reed of Bowie
Hanna	Sewell
Hardin	

## Present—Not Voting

Skaggs

## Absent

Alexander	Huddleston
Alsup	Keith
Baker	Kenyon
Beckworth	Kern
Bradford	McKinney
Broadfoot	Petsch
Burton	Pope
Davis of Jasper	Ragsdale
Felty	Reader
Graves	Stevenson
Hartzog	Tennyson
Herzik	Waggoner
Hoskins	Winfree

## Absent-Excused

Bates	Langdon
Blankenship	Little
Carssow	Metcalfe
Celaya	Ross
Davison of Fisher	Schuenemann
Dollins	Smith of Tarrant
Keefe	Westbrook

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 100 before the House, on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—93

Adkins	Farmer
Amos	Fielden
Baker	Fox
Beckworth	Fuchs
Bell	Gibson
Boethel	Graves
Bond	Hamilton
Boyer	Hankamer
Bridgers	Harbin
Broadfoot	Harper
Brown	Harris of Archer
Callan	Harris of Dallas
Cleveland	Harris of Dickens
Colquitt	Heflin
Davis of Haskell	Holland
Davison	Howard
of Eastland	Hyder
Dean	Jackson
Deglandon	James
Dickison	Johnson
England	of Tarrant

Jones of Angelina	Patterson
Jones of Falls	of Travis
Kelt	Prescott
Kern	Reed of Dallas
King	Rhodes
Knetsch	Riddle
Lankford	Roark
Lanning	Russell
Leath	Rutta
Leonard	Settle
Leyendecker	Shell
London	Simpson
Lucas	Skaggs
Mann	Smith
Mays	of Matagorda
McConnell	Stinson
McCracken	Stocks
McDonald	Talbert
McFarland	Tarwater
McKee	Tennant
Moffett	Thornberry
Monkhouse	Thornton
Morse	Vale
Newton	Walker
Nicholson	Weldon
Oliver	Wood
Palmer	Worley
Patterson of Mills	

## Nays—16

Bradbury	Loggins
Cagle	Morris
Cathey	Powell
Derden	Quinn
Hanna	Reed of Bowie
Hardin	Sewell
Johnson of Ellis	Sharpe
Jones of Wise	Smith of Hopkins

## Absent

Alexander	Keith
Alsup	Kenyon
Bradford	Mauritz
Burton	McKinney
Davis of Jasper	Petsch
Felty	Pope
Harrell	Ragsdale
Hartzog	Reader
Herzik	Stevenson
Hoskins	Tennyson
Huddleston	Waggoner
Hull	Winfree
Jones of Atascosa	

## Absent—Excused

Bates	Langdon
Blankenship	Little
Carssow	Metcalfe
Celaya	Ross
Davison of Fisher	Schuenemann
Dollins	Smith of Tarrant
Keefe	Westbrook

Mr. Jones of Wise moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 100 was passed.

The motion to reconsider prevailed.

House Bill No. 100 was then passed by the following vote:

Yeas—113

Adkins	King
Alexander	Knetsch
Amos	Lankford
Baker	Lanning
Beckworth	Leath
Bell	Leonard
Boethel	Leyendecker
Bond	Loggins
Boyer	London
Bridgers	Lucas
Brown	Mann
Burton	Mauritz
Cagle	Mays
Callan	McConnell
Cleveland	McCracken
Colquitt	McDonald
Davis of Haskell	McFarland
Davis of Jasper	McKee
Dean	Moffett
Deglandon	Monkhouse
Derden	Morris
Dickison	Morse
England	Newton
Farmer	Nicholson
Fielden	Palmer
Fox	Patterson of Mills
Fuchs	Patterson
Gibson	of Travis
Graves	Petsch
Hamilton	Powell
Hankamer	Quinn
Harbin	Reader
Harper	Reed of Dallas
Harris of Archer	Rhodes
Harris of Dallas	Riddle
Harris of Dickens	Roark
Hartzog	Russell
Heflin	Rutta
Herzik	Settle
Holland	Sharpe
Hoskins	Shell
Howard	Simpson
Hull	Skaggs
Hyder	Smith of Hopkins
Jackson	Smith
James	of Matagorda
Johnson of Ellis	Stevenson
Johnson	Stinson
of Tarrant	Stocks
Jones of Angelina	Talbert
Jones of Atascosa	Tarwater
Jones of Falls	Tennant
Jones of Wise	Thornberry
Keith	Thornton
Kelt	Vale
Kern	Walker

Weldon  
Winfree

Wood  
Worley

Nays—9

Alsup  
Bradbury  
Cathey  
Hanna  
Hardin

Prescott  
Reed of Bowie  
Tennyson  
Waggoner

Absent

Bradford  
Broadfoot  
Felty  
Harrell  
Huddleston  
Kenyon

McKinney  
Oliver  
Pope  
Ragsdale  
Sewell

Absent—Excused

Bates	Keefe
Blankenship	Langdon
Carssow	Little
Celaya	Metcalfe
Davison of Fisher	Ross
Davisson	Schuenemann
of Eastland	Smith of Tarrant
Dollins	Westbrook

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 101 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 101, A bill to be entitled "An Act making an emergency appropriation to supplement an appropriation made by the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature for the fiscal year ending August 31, 1927, found on page 1053, Acts of the Regular Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature; said appropriation is to pay the salaries and other expenses of the inspection work incident to the eradication of the Mexican Fruit Fly, Citrus Canker and other pests, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

#### HOUSE BILL NO. 101 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Leonard moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 101 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—93

Alsup  
Amos

Baker  
Beckworth

Bell	Lankford
Boethel	Lanning
Bond	Leath
Boyer	Leonard
Bridgers	Leyendecker
Brown	London
Callan	Lucas
Cathey	Mann
Cleveland	Mauritz
Colquitt	Mays
Davis of Haskell	McCracken
Davis of Jasper	McDonald
Davisson	McFarland
of Eastland	Moffett
Dean	Monkhouse
Deglandon	Morse
Derden	Newton
Dickison	Nicholson
England	Oliver
Farmer	Patterson of Mills
Fox	Patterson
Gibson	of Travis
Graves	Prescott
Hamilton	Quinn
Hankamer	Reed of Dallas
Harbin	Rhodes
Harper	Roark
Harris of Archer	Rutta
Harris of Dallas	Settle
Harris of Dickens	Skaggs
Heflin	Smith
Holland	of Matagorda
Hoskins	Stevenson
Howard	Stinson
Hull	Stocks
Hyder	Talbert
Jackson	Tarwater
James	Tennant
Johnson	Tennyson
of Tarrant	Thornberry
Jones of Angelina	Thornton
Jones of Atascosa	Vale
Jones of Falls	Walker
Kelt	Weldon
Kern	Wood
King	Worley
Knetsch	

## Nays—15

Bradbury	Morris
Cagle	Powell
Fielden	Reed of Bowie
Hanna	Russell
Hardin	Sewell
Johnson of Ellis	Sharpe
Jones of Wise	Simpson
Loggins	

## Absent

Adkins	Felty
Alexander	Fuchs
Bradford	Harrell
Broadfoot	Hartzog
Burton	Herzik

Huddleston	Pope
Keith	Ragsdale
Kenyon	Reader
McConnell	Riddle
McKee	Shell
McKinney	Smith of Hopkins
Palmer	Waggoner
Petsch	Winfree

## Absent-Excused

Bates	Langdon
Blankenship	Little
Carssow	Metcalfe
Celaya	Ross
Davison of Fisher	Schuenemann
Dollins	Smith of Tarrant
Keefe	Westbrook

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 101 before the House, on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—106

Adkins	Holland
Alexander	Hoskins
Amos	Howard
Baker	Huddleston
Beckworth	Hull
Bell	Hyder
Boethel	Jackson
Bond	James
Boyer	Johnson of Ellis
Bridgers	Johnson
Brown	of Tarrant
Burton	Jones of Angelina
Callan	Jones of Atascosa
Cathey	Jones of Falls
Cleveland	Keith
Colquitt	Kelt
Davis of Haskell	Kenyon
Davis of Jasper	Kern
Davison of Fisher	King
Dean	Knetsch
Deglandon	Lankford
Dickison	Lanning
England	Leath
Farmer	Leonard
Felty	Leyendecker
Fielden	London
Fox	Lucas
Fuchs	Mann
Gibson	Mauritz
Graves	Mays
Hamilton	McConnell
Hankamer	McDonald
Harbin	McFarland
Harper	McKee
Harris of Archer	McKinney
Harris of Dallas	Moffett
Harris of Dickens	Monkhouse
Hartzog	Morse

Newton	Skaggs
Nicholson	Stevenson
Oliver	Stinson
Patterson of Mills	Stocks
Patterson	Talbert
of Travis	Tarwater
Quinn	Tennant
Reed of Dallas	Tennyson
Rhodes	Thornberry
Riddle	Thornton
Russell	Vale
Rutta	Walker
Settle	Weldon
Sewell	Winfree
Sharpe	Wood
Shell	Worley

## Nays—13

Alsup	Morris
Bradbury	Powell
Derden	Reed of Bowie
Hanna	Simpson
Hardin	Smith of Hopkins
Jones of Wise	Waggoner
Loggins	

## Absent

Bradford	Petsch
Broadfoot	Pope
Cagle	Prescott
Harrell	Ragsdale
Heflin	Reader
Herzik	Roark
McCracken	Smith
Palmer	of Matagorda

## Absent—Excused

Bates	Langdon
Blankenship	Little
Carssow	Metcalfe
Celaya	Ross
Davisson	Schuenemann
of Eastland	Smith of Tarrant
Dollins	Westbrook
Keefe	

## RELATIVE TO RECOMMENDATIONS FOR OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

The Speaker laid before the House, for consideration at this time, resolution offered by Mr. Cathey on Thursday, January 14, Relative to recommendations for Old Age Assistance.

The resolution having heretofore been read second time and referred to the Committee on State Affairs.

The committee on State Affairs having recommended the adoption of the resolution.

Mr. Cathey offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend the resolution by substituting these words for the second resolving clause thereof: "Be it further resolved that the Old Age Assistance Commission consider such requests or recommendations of the said Commissioners' Courts and in case such recommendations are within the laws and Constitution of Texas, that the said Commissioners are entreated to place such names on the pension rolls."

CATHEY,  
FARMER,  
TENNANT,  
DERDEN.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hardin moved the previous question on the amendment on the Speaker's desk, by Mr. Alsup, and the adoption of the resolution, and the main question was ordered.

Mr. Alsup offered the following amendment to the resolution:

Amend the resolution at the proper place by adding the following: "All Members of the House are required to furnish the Commissioners' Courts in their respective counties all information relating to this resolution."

The amendment was lost.

Question recurring on the resolution, yeas and nays were demanded.

The resolution was adopted by the following vote:

## Yeas—67

Adkins	Harris of Dickens
Alsup	Heflin
Amos	Holland
Beckworth	Hoskins
Boyer	Huddleston
Bradbury	Hyder
Brown	James
Callan	Johnson of Ellis
Cathey	Jones of Angelina
Cleveland	Kelt
Davis of Haskell	Kern
Davis of Jasper	King
Davisson	Lankford
of Eastland	Lanning
Deglandon	Leyendecker
Derden	Loggins
Farmer	London
Fielden	Lucas
Hamilton	Mann
Hanna	Moffett
Harbin	Newton
Hardin	Oliver
Harper	Palmer
Harrell	Patterson of Mills
Harris of Dallas	Powell

Prescott	Skaggs
Quinn	Stocks
Reed of Bowie	Talbert
Reed of Dallas	Tennant
Rhodes	Walker
Russell	Weldon
Settle	Winfree
Sewell	Wood
Simpson	Worley

## Nays—56

Alexander	Mauritz
Baker	Mays
Bell	McCracken
Boethel	McDonald
Bond	McFarland
Bridgers	McKee
Broadfoot	McKinney
Burton	Monkhouse
Cagle	Morris
Colquitt	Morse
Dean	Nicholson
England	Patterson
Fox	of Travis
Gibson	Petsch
Graves	Riddle
Hankamer	Roark
Harris of Archer	Rutta
Hartzog	Sharpe
Howard	Shell
Hull	Smith of Hopkins
Jackson	Smith
Johnson	of Matagorda
of Tarrant	Stinson
Jones of Atascosa	Tarwater
Jones of Falls	Tennyson
Jones of Wise	Thornberry
Keith	Thornton
Kenyon	Vale
Knetsch	Waggoner
Leath	

## Present—Not Voting

McConnell

## Absent

Bradford	Leonard
Dickison	Pope
Felty	Ragsdale
Fuchs	Reader
Herzik	Stevenson

## Absent—Excused

Bates	Langdon
Blankenship	Little
Carssow	Metcalf
Celaya	Ross
Davison of Fisher	Schuenemann
Dollins	Smith of Tarrant
Keefe	Westbrook

Mr. Lucas moved to reconsider the vote by which the resolution was

adopted, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 106 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 106, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the posting of legal notices at some place within the court house to be designated by the Commissioners Court; providing for publication of notice of posting; and repealing all laws and parts of laws in conflict."

The bill was read second time.

Mr. England offered the following committee amendment to the bill:

Amend the caption by adding after the clause providing for the publication of notice of posting "the clause" and providing for the levying of costs.

The amendment was adopted.

Mr. Powell offered the following amendment to the bill:

Amend House Bill No. 106 by striking out all of Section 1, after the word "County" in line 17.

Mr. Colquitt moved to table the amendment.

Question recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The roll of the House was called, and the vote announced as follows:

## Yeas—42

Alexander	Kelt
Boethel	Knetsch
Bond	Leath
Broadfoot	London
Brown	McFarland
Cathey	Monkhouse
Cleveland	Morse
Colquitt	Newton
Davis of Haskell	Patterson
Davisson	of Travis
of Eastland	Reed of Bowie
Deglandon	Rhodes
Graves	Riddle
Hamilton	Roark
Hanna	Rutta
Harper	Sewell
Harris of Archer	Sharpe
Harris of Dallas	Skaggs
Herzik	Smith
Jackson	of Matagorda
Jones of Angelina	Stinson

Stocks	Thornton
Tennant	
Nays—52	
Adkins	Lanning
Alsup	Leyendecker
Amos	Loggins
Baker	Lucas
Beckworth	Mann
Boyer	Mauritz
Bradbury	McConnell
Burton	McDonald
Cagle	Morris
Derden	Palmer
Farmer	Powell
Fielden	Prescott
Fox	Russell
Gibson	Shell
Hardin	Simpson
Heflin	Talbert
Holland	Tarwater
Hull	Tennyson
James	Thornberry
Johnson of Ellis	Vale
Jones of Falls	Waggoner
Jones of Wise	Walker
Keith	Weldon
Kern	Winfree
King	Wood
Lankford	Worley
Present—Not Voting	
Harbin	Patterson of Mills
Absent	
Bell	Jones of Atascosa
Bradford	Kenyon
Bridgers	Leonard
Callan	Mays
Davis of Jasper	McCracken
Dean	McKee
Dickison	McKinney
England	Moffett
Felty	Nicholson
Fuchs	Oliver
Hankamer	Petsch
Harrell	Pope
Harris of Dickens	Quinn
Hartzog	Ragsdale
Hoskins	Reader
Howard	Reed of Dallas
Huddleston	Settle
Hyder	Smith of Hopkins
Johnson of Tarrant	Stevenson
Absent—Excused	
Bates	Langdon
Blankenship	Little
Carssow	Metcalf
Celaya	Ross
Davison of Fisher	Schuenemann
Dollins	Smith of Tarrant
Keefe	Westbrook

Mr. Farmer raised a point of order that there was not a quorum present.

The Speaker sustained the point of order.

The roll of the House was called and the Speaker announced a quorum present.

Question again recurring on the motion to table, yeas and nays were demanded.

The motion to table prevailed by the following vote:

## Yeas—59

Alexander	Leonard
Beckworth	London
Boethel	Mauritz
Boyer	Mays
Bridgers	McFarland
Broadfoot	Monkhouse
Cagle	Morse
Cathey	Nicholson
Cleveland	Oliver
Colquitt	Patterson of Mills
Davis of Haskell	Patterson
Dean	of Travis
Deglandon	Petsch
Hamilton	Quinn
Hankamer	Reed of Bowie
Hanna	Reed of Dallas
Harper	Rhodes
Harris of Archer	Riddle
Harris of Dallas	Roark
Harris of Dickens	Rutta
Hartzog	Sewell
Heflin	Sharpe
Herzik	Smith
Howard	of Matagorda
Huddleston	Stinson
Jackson	Stocks
Jones of Angelina	Talbert
Jones of Atascosa	Thornton
Kelt	Waggoner
Lankford	Weldon
Leath	

## Nays—56

Adkins	Hardin
Alsup	Harrell
Amos	Holland
Baker	Hull
Bell	Hyder
Bond	James
Bradbury	Johnson of Ellis
Brown	Jones of Falls
Burton	Jones of Wise
Callan	Keith
Derden	Kern
Farmer	King
Fielden	Knetsch
Fox	Lanning
Gibson	Leyendecker
Graves	Loggins

Lucas	Settle
Mann	Shell
McConnell	Simpson
McDonald	Tarwater
McKee	Tennant
Moffett	Tennyson
Morris	Thornberry
Newton	Vale
Palmer	Walker
Powell	Winfree
Prescott	Wood
Russell	Worley

## Absent

Bradford	Kenyon
Davis of Jasper	McCracken
Dickison	McKinney
England	Pope
Felty	Ragsdale
Fuchs	Reader
Harbin	Skaggs
Hoskins	Smith of Hopkins
Johnson	Stevenson
of Tarrant	

## Absent—Excused

Bates	Keefe
Blankenship	Langdon
Carssow	Little
Celaya	Metcalfe
Davison of Fisher	Ross
Davisson	Schuenemann
of Eastland	Smith of Tarrant
Dollins	Westbrook

Mr. Fox moved that further consideration of House Bill No. 106, be postponed until 10:00 o'clock a. m., next Tuesday.

The motion prevailed.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 153 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 153, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Chapter 16 of the Acts of Thirty-fifth Legislature, 1917, as amended by Chapter 58 of the Acts of the Thirty-fifth Legislature, 1917, as amended by Chapter 139 of the Acts of the Thirty-seventh Legislature, 1921, relating to the creation of a Juvenile Board within certain counties of this State and prescribing the duties and powers of such board, including the appointment by it of probation officers and providing for the payment of compensation of such officers and allowing the said District Judges an additional salary, to be paid out of the general fund of such county, by adding

a new Section to be known as Section 1-A and providing for the establishment of a Juvenile Board in counties having a population of sixty thousand and one, and not more than ninety thousand according to the preceding Federal Census, and containing a city of fifty thousand or more, according to the preceding Federal Census; providing for the compensation of the members of said Board, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 153 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Thornton moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 153 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—110

Adkins	Holland
Alexander	Hoskins
Alsup	Howard
Baker	Hull
Beckworth	Hyder
Bell	Jackson
Boethel	James
Bond	Johnson of Ellis
Boyer	Johnson
Bridgers	of Tarrant
Brown	Jones of Angelina
Burton	Jones of Atascosa
Cagle	Jones of Falls
Callan	Jones of Wise
Cleveland	Keith
Colquitt	Kelt
Davis of Haskell	Kenyon
Dean	Kern
Deglandon	King
Derden	Knetsch
Dickison	Lanning
England	Leath
Fielden	Leonard
Fox	Leyendecker
Fuchs	Loggins
Gibson	London
Hamilton	Lucas
Hankamer	Mays
Hanna	McConnell
Harbin	McCracken
Hardin	McDonald
Harper	McFarland
Harris of Archer	McKee
Harris of Dallas	McKinney
Harris of Dickens	Moffett
Hartzog	Monkhouse
Heflin	Morris
Herzik	Morse



Newton	Sewell
Nicholson	Sharpe
Palmer	Simpson
Patterson of Mills	Skaggs
Patterson of Travis	Smith of Hopkins
Petsch	Stinson
Powell	Stocks
Prescott	Talbert
Quinn	Tarwater
Reader	Tennant
Reed of Dallas	Thornberry
Rhodes	Thornton
Riddle	Vale
Roark	Walker
Russell	Weldon
Rutta	Winfree
Settle	Wood
	Worley

## Nays—6

Bradbury	Lankford
Farmer	Reed of Bowie
Graves	Waggoner

## Present—Not Voting

Smith  
of Matagorda

## Absent

Amos	Mann
Bradford	Mauritz
Broadfoot	Oliver
Cathey	Pope
Davis of Jasper	Ragsdale
Felty	Shell
Harrell	Stevenson
Huddleston	Tennyson

## Absent—Excused

Bates	Keefe
Blankenship	Langdon
Carssow	Little
Celaya	Metcalf
Davison of Fisher	Ross
Davisson	Schuenemann
of Eastland	Smith of Tarrant
Dollins	Westbrook

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 153 before the House, on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## YeYas—110

Adkins	Bond
Alexander	Boyer
Alsup	Bridgers
Amos	Brown
Beckworth	Burton
Bell	Cagle
Boethel	Callan

Cleveland	Lucas
Colquitt	Mann
Davis of Haskell	Mauritz
Davisson	Mays
of Eastland	McConnell
Dean	McCracken
Deglandon	McDonald
Derden	McFarland
Dickison	McKee
England	McKinney
Fielden	Moffett
Fox	Monkhouse
Fuchs	Morris
Gibson	Morse
Hamilton	Newton
Hankamer	Nicholson
Hanna	Palmer
Harbin	Patterson of Mills
Harper	Patterson
Harrell	of Travis
Harris of Archer	Petsch
Harris of Dallas	Quinn
Harris of Dickens	Reader
Heflin	Reed of Dallas
Herzik	Rhodes
Holland	Riddle
Hoskins	Roark
Howard	Russell
Hull	Rutta
Hyder	Settle
Jackson	Sewell
James	Sharpe
Johnson of Ellis	Shell
Johnson	Simpson
of Tarrant	Skaggs
Jones of Angelina	Smith of Hopkins
Jones of Atascosa	Stinson
Jones of Falls	Stocks
Jones of Wise	Talbert
Keith	Tarwater
Kelt	Tennant
Kenyon	Thornberry
Kern	Thornton
King	Vale
Lanning	Walker
Leath	Weldon
Leonard	Winfree
Leyendecker	Wood
Loggins	Worley
London	

## Nays—9

Bradbury	Lankford
Farmer	Prescott
Graves	Reed of Bowie
Hardin	Waggoner
Knetsch	

## Present—Not Voting

Powell  
Smith  
of Matagorda

## Absent

Baker	Broadfoot
Bradford	Cathey

Davis of Jasper    Pope  
Felty                Ragsdale  
Hartzog             Stevenson  
Huddleston        Tennyson  
Oliver

Absent—Excused

Bates                Langdon  
Blankenship        Little  
Carssow             Metcalfe  
Celaya               Ross  
Davison of Fisher   Schuenemann  
Dollins               Smith of Tarrant  
Keefe                Westbrook

Mr. Thornton moved to reconsider the vote by which House Bill No. 153 was passed, and to table the motion to reconsider.

The motion to table prevailed.

HOUSE BILL NO. 162 ON SECOND  
READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 162, A bill to be entitled "An Act providing for the amount that may be allowed by County Boards of Trustees to the County Superintendents of Public Instruction for expenditures for office and traveling expenses in certain counties according to the last preceding Federal Census; repealing all laws and parts of laws, General or Special, in conflict therewith, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

HOUSE BILL NO. 162 ON THIRD  
READING

Mr. Harris of Archer moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 162 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—114

Adkins                Broadfoot  
Alexander            Brown  
Alsup                 Burton  
Amos                 Callan  
Baker                 Cathey  
Beckworth            Cleveland  
Boethel               Colquitt  
Bond                 Davis of Haskell  
Boyer                 Davis of Jasper  
Bradbury             Davisson  
Bridgers              of Eastland

Dean  
Deglandon  
Derden  
Dickison  
Farmer  
Fielden  
Fox  
Fuchs  
Gibson  
Hamilton  
Hankamer  
Hanna  
Harbin  
Hardin  
Harper  
Harrell  
Harris of Archer  
Harris of Dallas  
Harris of Dickens  
Heflin  
Herzik  
Holland  
Hoskins  
Howard  
Huddleston  
Hyder  
Jackson  
James  
Johnson of Ellis  
Johnson  
of Tarrant  
Jones of Angelina  
Jones of Falls  
Jones of Wise  
Keith  
Kelt  
Kern  
King  
Knetsch  
Lankford  
Lanning  
Leath  
Leonard  
Leyendecker  
Loggins  
London  
Lucas  
Mann

Mauritz  
Mays  
McConnell  
McDonald  
McKee  
Moffett  
Monkhouse  
Morris  
Morse  
Newton  
Nicholson  
Palmer  
Patterson of Mills  
Patterson  
of Travis  
Petsch  
Powell  
Prescott  
Quinn  
Reader  
Reed of Bowie  
Reed of Dallas  
Rhodes  
Riddle  
Roark  
Russell  
Settle  
Sewell  
Sharpe  
Simpson  
Skaggs  
Stevenson  
Stinson  
Stocks  
Talbert  
Tarwater  
Tennant  
Tennyson  
Thornberry  
Thornton  
Vale  
Waggoner  
Walker  
Weldon  
Winfree  
Wood  
Worley

Absent

Bell                    McFarland  
Bradford              McKinney  
Cagle                  Oliver  
England               Pope  
Felty                   Ragsdale  
Graves                Rutta  
Hartzog                Shell  
Hull                    Smith of Hopkins  
Jones of Atascosa    Smith  
Kenyon                of Matagorda  
McCracken

Absent—Excused

Bates                   Carssow  
Blankenship           Celaya

Davison of Fisher	Metcalf
Dollins	Ross
Keefe	Schuenemann
Langdon	Smith of Tarrant
Little	Westbrook

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 162 before the House, on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—111

Adkins	Keith
Alexander	Kelt
Alsup	Kern
Amos	King
Baker	Knetsch
Beckworth	Lankford
Boethel	Lanning
Bond	Leath
Boyer	Leonard
Bradbury	Leyendecker
Bridgers	Loggins
Broadfoot	London
Brown	Lucas
Burton	Mann
Callan	Mauritz
Cathey	Mays
Cleveland	McConnell
Colquitt	McDonald
Davis of Haskell	McFarland
Davis of Jasper	McKee
Davison	Moffett
of Eastland	Monkhouse
Dean	Morris
Deglandon	Morse
Derden	Newton
Dickson	Palmer
Farmer	Patterson of Mills
Fielden	Patterson
Fox	of Travis
Fuchs	Petsch
Gibson	Powell
Hamilton	Prescott
Hanna	Quinn
Harbin	Reader
Hardin	Reed of Bowie
Harrell	Reed of Dallas
Harris of Archer	Rhodes
Harris of Dickens	Riddle
Heflin	Roark
Holland	Russell
Howard	Settle
Huddleston	Sewell
Hyder	Sharpe
Jackson	Shell
Johnson of Ellis	Simpson
Johnson	Skaggs
of Tarrant	Smith of Hopkins
Jones of Angelina	Smith
Jones of Atascosa	of Matagorda
Jones of Falls	Stevenson
Jones of Wise	Stinson

Stocks	Vale
Talbert	Waggoner
Tarwater	Walker
Tennant	Weldon
Tennyson	Wood
Thornberry	Worley
Thornton	

Nays—1

Graves

Absent

Bell	Hull
Bradford	James
Cagle	Kenyon
England	McCracken
Felty	McKinney
Hankamer	Nicholson
Harper	Oliver
Harris of Dallas	Pope
Hartzog	Ragsdale
Herzik	Rutta
Hoskins	Winfree

Absent—Excused

Bates	Langdon
Blankenship	Little
Carssow	Metcalf
Celaya	Ross
Davison of Fisher	Schuenemann
Dollins	Smith of Tarrant
Keefe	Westbrook

## HOUSE BILL NO. 165 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker laid before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment,

H. B. No. 165, A bill to be entitled "An Act amending Article 1645, Revised Civil Statutes of Texas, 1925, as amended by Chapter 15, Acts of the Forty-second Legislature, Second Called Session, giving additional authority to the Commissioners Court in certain counties relative to the compensation or salary to be paid county auditors in such counties, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 165 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Colquitt moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 165 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote.

Yeas—114

Adkins	Alsup
Alexander	Amos

Baker	Leyendecker
Boethel	Loggins
Bond	London
Boyer	Lucas
Bradbury	Mann
Bridgers	Mauritz
Broadfoot	Mays
Brown	McConnell
Burton	McDonald
Callan	McFarland
Cathey	McKee
Cleveland	Moffett
Colquitt	Monkhouse
Davis of Haskell	Morris
Davis of Jasper	Morse
Dean	Newton
Deglandon	Palmer
Derden	Patterson of Mills
Dickison	Patterson
England	of Travis
Farmer	Petsch
Fielden	Powell
Fox	Prescott
Fuchs	Quinn
Gibson	Reader
Graves	Reed of Dallas
Hamilton	Rhodes
Hankamer	Riddle
Hanna	Roark
Harbin	Russell
Hardin	Rutta
Harper	Settle
Harrell	Sewell
Harris of Archer	Sharpe
Harris of Dallas	Shell
Harris of Dickens	Simpson
Heflin	Skaggs
Herzik	Smith of Hopkins
Holland	Smith
Howard	of Matagorda
Huddleston	Stevenson
Hyder	Stinson
Jackson	Stocks
Johnson of Ellis	Talbert
Johnson	Tarwater
of Tarrant	Tennant
Jones of Angelina	Tennyson
Jones of Falls	Thornberry
Jones of Wise	Thornton
Keith	Vale
Kelt	Waggoner
Kern	Walker
King	Weldon
Knetsch	Winfree
Lanning	Wood
Leath	Worley
Leonard	

## Nays—3

Beckworth	Reed of Bowie
Lankford	

## Absent

Bell	Cagle
Bradford	Felty

Hartzog	McCracken
Hoskins	McKinney
Hull	Nicholson
James	Oliver
Jones of Atascosa	Pope
Kenyon	Ragsdale

## Absent—Excused

Bates	Keefe
Blankenship	Langdon
Carssow	Little
Celaya	Metcalfe
Davison of Fisher	Ross
Davisson	Schuenemann
of Eastland	Smith of Tarrant
Dollins	Westbrook

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 165 before the House, on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—112

Adkins	Harris of Dickens
Alexander	Heflin
Alsup	Herzik
Amos	Holland
Baker	Hoskins
Beckworth	Howard
Boethel	Huddleston
Bond	Hull
Boyer	Hyder
Bradbury	Jackson
Bridgers	Johnson of Ellis
Broadfoot	Johnson
Brown	of Tarrant
Burton	Jones of Angelina
Cagle	Jones of Atascosa
Callan	Jones of Falls
Cathey	Jones of Wise
Colquitt	Keith
Davis of Haskell	Kelt
Davis of Jasper	Kern
Davisson	King
of Eastland	Lanning
Dean	Leath
Deglandon	Leonard
Derden	Leyendecker
Dickison	Loggins
England	London
Farmer	Lucas
Fielden	Mauritz
Fox	Mays
Fuchs	McConnell
Gibson	McDonald
Hamilton	McFarland
Hankamer	McKee
Hanna	McKinney
Harbin	Moffett
Hardin	Monkhouse
Harrell	Morris
Harris of Dallas	Morse

Newton	Smith of Hopkins
Palmer	Smith
Patterson of Mills	of Matagorda
Patterson	Stevenson
of Travis	Stinson
Powell	Stocks
Prescott	Talbert
Reed of Dallas	Tarwater
Rhodes	Tennant
Riddle	Tennyson
Roark	Thornberry
Russell	Thornton
Rutta	Vale
Settle	Waggoner
Sewell	Walker
Sharpe	Weldon
Shell	Winfree
Simpson	Wood
Skaggs	Worley

## Nays—5

Cleveland	Quinn
Graves	Reed of Bowie
Lankford	

## Absent

Beal	Mann
Bradford	McCracken
Felty	Nicholson
Harper	Oliver
Harris of Archer	Petsch
Hartzog	Pope
James	Ragsdale
Kenyon	Reader
Knetsch	

## Absent—Excused

Bates	Langdon
Blankenship	Little
Carssow	Metcalfe
Celaya	Ross
Davison of Fisher	Schuenemann
Dollins	Smith of Tarrant
Keefe	Westbrook

## HOUSE BILL NO. 245 ON SECOND READING

The Speaker lead before the House, on its second reading and passage to engrossment

H. B. No. 245, A bill to be entitled "An Act to declare a closed season on the killing of deer and turkey in Throckmorton and Shackelford Counties for a period ending February 1st, 1941; prescribing a penalty therefor, and declaring an emergency."

The bill was read second time, and was passed to engrossment.

## HOUSE BILL NO. 245 ON THIRD READING

Mr. Davis of Haskell moved that the constitutional rule, requiring bills to be read on three several days, be suspended, and that House Bill No. 245 be placed on its third reading and final passage.

The motion prevailed by the following vote:

Yeas—103

Adkins	Jones of Wise
Alexander	Keith
Alsup	Kelt
Amos	Kern
Baker	King
Boethel	Knetsch
Bond	Lankford
Boyer	Lanning
Bradbury	Leath
Bridgers	Leonard
Broadfoot	Leyendecker
Brown	Loggins
Burton	London
Cagle	Lucas
Callan	Mann
Cleveland	Mauritz
Colquitt	McConnell
Davis of Haskell	McDonald
Dean	McKee
Deglandon	Moffett
Derden	Monkhouse
Dickison	Morris
Farmer	Morse
Fielden	Newton
Fox	Palmer
Gibson	Patterson of Mills
Graves	Patterson
Hamilton	of Travis
Hankamer	Powell
Hanna	Quinn
Harbin	Reed of Bowie
Hardin	Reed of Dallas
Harper	Rhodes
Harris of Dallas	Riddle
Harris of Dickens	Roark
Heflin	Rutta
Herzik	Settle
Holland	Sharpe
Hoskins	Simpson
Howard	Skaggs
Huddleston	Smith
Hull	of Matagorda
Hyder	Stinson
Jackson	Stocks
James	Talbert
Johnson of Ellis	Tarwater
Johnson	Tennant
of Tarrant	Tennyson
Jones of Angelina	Thornberry
Jones of Atascosa	Thornton
Jones of Falls	Vale

Weldon	Wood	Jones of Wise	Reed of Bowie
Winfree	Worley	Keith	Reed of Dallas
	Absent	Kelt	Rhodes
Beckworth	McKinney	King	Riddle
Bell	Nicholson	Knetsch	Roark
Bradford	Oliver	Lankford	Russell
Cathey	Petsch	Lanning	Rutta
Davis of Jasper	Pope	Leath	Settle
England	Prescott	Leonard	Sewell
Felty	Ragsdale	Leyendecker	Sharpe
Fuchs	Reader	Loggins	Shell
Harrell	Russell	London	Simpson
Harris of Archer	Sewell	Lucas	Skaggs
Hartzog	Shell	Mann	Smith of Hopkins
Kenyon	Smith of Hopkins	Mauritz	Smith
Mays	Stevenson	Mays	of Matagorda
McCracken	Waggoner	McConnell	Stevenson
McFarland	Walker	McDonald	Stinson
		McKee	Talbert
		Moffett	Tarwater
		Monkhouse	Tennant
		Morris	Tennyson
		Morse	Thornberry
		Newton	Thornton
		Oliver	Vale
		Palmer	Waggoner
		Patterson of Mills	Walker
		Patterson	Weldon
		of Travis	Winfree
		Powell	Wood
		Quinn	Worley

## Absent—Excused

Bates	Keefe
Blankenship	Langdon
Carssow	Little
Celaya	Metcalfe
Davison of Fisher	Ross
Davisson	Schuenemann
of Eastland	Smith of Tarrant
Dollins	Westbrook

The Speaker then laid House Bill No. 245 before the House on its third reading and final passage.

The bill was read third time, and was passed by the following vote:

## Yeas—110

Adkins	Fox
Alexander	Gibson
Alsup	Graves
Amos	Hamilton
Baker	Hankamer
Bell	Hanna
Boethel	Harbin
Bond	Hardin
Boyer	Harper
Bradbury	Harrell
Bridgers	Harris of Dallas
Broadfoot	Harris of Dickens
Burton	Heflin
Cagle	Holland
Callan	Hoskins
Cleveland	Howard
Colquitt	Huddleston
Davis of Haskell	Hull
Davisson	Hyder
of Eastland	James
Deglandon	Johnson of Ellis
Derden	Johnson
Dickison	of Tarrant
England	Jones of Angelina
Farmer	Jones of Atascosa
Fielden	Jones of Falls

## Absent

Beckworth	Kenyon
Bradford	Kern
Brown	McCracken
Cathey	McFarland
Davis of Jasper	McKinney
Dean	Nicholson
Felty	Petsch
Fuchs	Pope
Harris of Archer	Prescott
Hartzog	Ragsdale
Herzik	Reader
Jackson	Stocks

## Absent—Excused

Bates	Langdon
Blankenship	Little
Carssow	Metcalfe
Celaya	Ross
Davison of Fisher	Schuenemann
Dollins	Smith of Tarrant
Keefe	Westbrook

BILL AND RESOLUTION SIGNED  
BY THE SPEAKER

The Speaker signed, in the presence of the House after giving due notice thereof and their captions had been read severally, the following enrolled bill and resolution:

H. B. No. 65, "An Act making an appropriation of Nine Thousand (\$9,000.00) Dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of any funds in the State Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, to the State Tax Board to pay the expenses of the supervisory staff of the State-wide Tax Survey now being conducted in this State as a Works Progress Administration project, as approved by House Concurrent Resolution No. 5, passed by the First Called Session of the Forty-fourth Legislature, and declaring an emergency."

H. C. R. No. 13, Providing for committee in regard to use of Red River by Texas citizens.

#### ADJOURNMENT

On motion of Mr. McKee, the House at 12:15 o'clock p. m., adjourned until 10:00 o'clock a. m., next Monday.

#### APPENDIX

##### STANDING COMMITTEE REPORTS

The following committees have filed favorable reports on bills as follows:

Counties: House Bill No. 125, Senate Bill No. 93.

Public Lands and Buildings: House Bill No. 150.

##### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENGROSSED BILLS

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, January 29, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 9, To grant Mrs. Tom (Fritz) Harrell permission to sue the State of Texas and the State Highway Commission.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, January 29, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 3, To grant F. L. Ehrig and wife permission to sue the State of Texas and the State Highway Commission.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, January 29, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 14, Regarding Governor's proclamation on the day to aid flood sufferers.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, January 29, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Engrossed Bills to whom was referred

H. B. No. 218, A bill to be entitled "An Act to amend House Bill No. 423, Acts of the Forty-fourth Legislature, Regular Session, by providing that Limestone, Robertson and Milam Counties be excepted from the provisions of said bill, and declaring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly engrossed.

BRIDGERS, Chairman.

##### REPORT OF THE COMMITTEE ON ENROLLED BILLS

Committee Room,

Austin, Texas, January 29, 1937.

Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled Bills, to whom was referred

H. C. R. No. 13, Proposing to send a committee to Oklahoma for purpose of entering into compact with Oklahoma relative to use of Red River by Texas citizens.

Has carefully compared same and finds it correctly enrolled.

HERZIK, Chairman.

Committee Room,  
Austin, Texas, January 29, 1937.  
Hon. R. W. Calvert, Speaker of the  
House of Representatives.

Sir: Your Committee on Enrolled  
Bills, to whom was referred

H. B. No. 65, "An Act making an  
appropriation of Nine Thousand  
(\$9,000.00) Dollars, or so much  
thereof as may be necessary, out of  
any funds in the State Treasury not  
otherwise appropriated, to the State  
Tax Board to pay the expenses of the  
supervisory staff of the State-wide  
Tax Survey now being conducted in  
this State as a Works Progress Ad-  
ministration project, as approved by  
House Concurrent Resolution No. 5,  
passed by the First Called Session of  
the Forty-fourth Legislature, and de-  
claring an emergency."

Has carefully compared same and  
finds it correctly enrolled.

HERZIK, Chairman.

#### TWELFTH DAY

(Monday, February 1, 1937)

The House met at 10:00 o'clock a.  
m., pursuant to adjournment, and was  
called to order by Speaker Calvert.

The roll of the House was called,  
and the following Members were  
present:

Mr. Speaker	Colquitt
Adkins	Davis of Haskell
Alexander	Davis of Jasper
Alsup	Davison of Fisher
Amos	Davisson
Baker	of Eastland
Bates	Dean
Beckworth	Deglandon
Bell	Derden
Blankenship	Dickison
Boethel	Dollins
Bond	England
Boyer	Farmer
Bradbury	Felty
Bradford	Fielden
Bridgers	Fox
Broadfoot	Graves
Brown	Hamilton
Burton	Hankamer
Callan	Hanna
Carssow	Harbin
Cathey	Hardin
Celaya	Harper
Cleveland	Harrell

Harris of Archer	Morse
Harris of Dallas	Newton
Harris of Dickens	Nicholson
Hartzog	Oliver
Heflin	Palmer
Herzik	Patterson of Mills
Holland	Patterson
Hoskins	of Travis
Howard	Petsch
Huddleston	Pope
Hull	Prescott
Hyder	Quinn
Jackson	Ragsdale
James	Reader
Johnson of Ellis	Reed of Bowie
Johnson	Reed of Dallas
of Tarrant	Rhodes
Jones of Angelina	Riddle
Jones of Atascosa	Roark
Jones of Falls	Ross
Jones of Wise	Russell
Keith	Rutta
Kelt	Settle
Kenyon	Sewell
Kern	Sharpe
King	Shell
Knetsch	Simpson
Langdon	Skaggs
Lankford	Smith of Hopkins
Lanning	Smith
Leath	of Matagorda
Loggins	Smith of Tarrant
London	Stevenson
Lucas	Stinson
Mann	Talbert
Mauritz	Tarwater
Mays	Tennant
McConnell	Thornberry
McCracken	Thornton
McDonald	Vale
McFarland	Waggoner
McKee	Walker
McKinney	Weldon
Metcalf	Winfree
Moffett	Wood
Monkhouse	Worley
Morris	

#### Absent—Excused

Cagle	Little
Fuchs	Powell
Gibson	Schuenemann
Keefe	Stocks
Leonard	Tennyson
Leyendecker	Westbrook

A quorum was announced present.

Rev. George W. Coltrin, Chaplain,  
offered prayer.

#### LEAVES OF ABSENCE GRANTED

The following Member was granted  
leave of absence on account of im-  
portant business: